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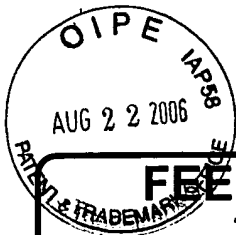
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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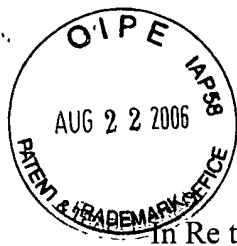
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Application No.: 10/509906

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For: Method and Device for Evaluating Spectacle Lens or Mold for  
Molding Spectacle Lens, and Method and System for  
Manufacturing Spectacle Lens

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